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### Journals

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### Proceedings Volumes

2. G. Sandi, K. A. Carrado, R. E. Winans, C. S. Johnson and K. D. Kepler, in *Lithium Batteries /1998*, J. S. Surampudi and R. A. Marsh, Editors, PV 98-16, p.11-18, The Electrochemical Society Proceedings Series, Pennington, NJ (1999).

### Books

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